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SUMMARY: INSTRUCTIONS SENT IN REFS HAVE BEEN EXECUTED;
WE ANTICIPATE PROMPT GOP REPLY. END SUMMARY

1. COPIES OF DOCUMENTS TRANSMITTED REF A PRESENTED
TO CHIEF OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORGANIZATIONS
BRANCH OF FONOFF, FERNANDO REINO, NOVEMBER 6. EMBOFF
BRIEFED REINO ON USG NPT POSITION AND LEFT DRAFT NOTE
AS PER PARA B4 REF A. REINO OBSERVED DRAFT SIMPLY
REAFFIRMED WELL-KNOWN USG POSITION AND PERSONALLY
ANTICIPATED NO OPPOSITION FROM GOP IF SIMILAR NOTE
FORMALLY PRESENTED. HE UNDERTOOK PROVIDE DEFINITIVE
COMMET SOON. EMBOFF GAVE REINO LETTER CONTAINING
MATERIAL PORVIDED PARA C REF A FOR MINISTRY'S INFO.

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2. EMBOFF DELIVERED SIMILAR SET OF DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING

SEPTEMBER 12 LETTER FROM AEC, TO VICE PRESIDENT OF
NUCLEAR ENERGY BOARD (JEN) SOEIRO DE BRITO, NOV. 7.D

(SOEIRO DE BRITO
HAD BEEN ACTING PRESIDENT OF JEN IN
ABSENCE OF PRESIDENT KAULZA DE ARRIAGA, FOR SEVERAL
YEARS. GEN. KAULZA DE ARRIAGA HAS RESUMED FUNCTIONS
AS PRESIDENT.) SOEIRO DE BRITO REVIEWED DOCUMENTS
CAREFULLY, ALTHOUGH ALREADY FAMILIAR WITH CONTENTS. HE
SAW NO PROBLEM WITH NEW DRAFT OF AGREEMENT OR WITH
POINTS RAISED IN AEC LETTER, EXCEPT FOR PARA C OF
ARTICLE XII. STRESSING HIS COMMENTS WERE PURELY PERSONAL,
SOEIRO DE BRITO SAID HE FOUND PARA C ARTICLE XII
INCONSISTENT WITH ARTICLE XI. HE WOULD PREFER (A) DROP
PARA C ART. XII, OR (B) REWRITE PARA C ARTICLE XII TO TERMIN-
ATE TRILATERAL BUT NOT BILATERAL AGREEMENT IN
HYPOTHESIS GIVEN THAT PARA, OR AT VERY LEAST (C)
EXTEND THREE-MONTH PERIOD TO SIX OR EVEN 12 MONTHS.
SOEIRO DE BRITO REITERATED THAT HIS COMMENT WERE
PERSONAL ONLY AND SUGGESTED EMBOFF NOT REPORT THEM.
SOEIRO DE BRITO ANTICIPATES FORMAL GOP RELPLY RE AEC
LETTER AND NEW TEXT WILL BE FORTHCOMING SOON. (COMMENT:
WE SUSPECT REPLY WILL REFLECT CONCERN RE PARA C ARTICLE
XII AS PER FOREGOING.)

3. EMBOFF BRIEFED SOEIRO DE BRITO ON MWE CEILING AS
PER PARA 4 REF B, AND LEFT LETTER COVERING MATERIAL
THEREIN. SOEIRO DE BRITO WAS GENERALLY FAMILIAR WITH
FACTORS INVOLVED. SUGGESTION FOR 40-YEAR AGREEMENT
WAS NEW TO HIM HOWEVER; INITIAL, INFORMAL REACTION WAS
FAVORABLE TO 40-YEAR IDEA. SOEIRO DE BRITO PREDICTED
FORMAL REPLY ON THAT POINT SOON.

4. JEN HAS RECEIVED DOCUMENTS MENTIONED PARA 5 REF B.
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